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PATENT APPLICATION  
10/772,173

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Rene E. Kristiansen  
Serial No.: 10/772,173  
Filing Date: February 4, 2004  
Confirmation No.: 5179  
Group Art Unit: 2613  
Examiner: Quan Zhen Wang  
Title: BI-DIRECTIONAL ROUTER AND A  
METHOD OF BIDIRECTIONAL  
AMPLIFICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S FINAL ACTION

In response to the Final Action mailed December 19, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims and the objections to the Application in view of the following amendments and/or comments as set forth below.